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**EXAMINER**

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The reply filed on May 26, 2010 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant was fully responsive to the election of species as required.

Applicant was given notice that Claim 11 will be examined as required which claim contain multiple species as amended on Dec 07, 2009. Furthermore, it was indicated the Claims 11-16 and 27-30 will be examined with this Invention. Also, it was indicated that upon the allowance of a generic claim, which is claim 11, Applicant will be entitled to consideration of additional species. Furthermore, as indicated Applicant has elected species which includes:

However, Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the following requirement:

“Applicant is advised that a reply to this requirement must include an identification of the species that is elected consonant with this requirement, and a listing of all claims readable thereon, including any claims subsequently added.”

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to HERBERT J. LILLING whose telephone number is 571-272-0918. The examiner can normally be reached on WORK AT HOME MAXIFLEX. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Jon Weber can be reached on 571-272-0925. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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